ASUW SENATE MEETING MINUTES

The February 21st, 2022, senate meeting was called to order by Vice President Swilling at 7:00p.m. The land acknowledgement statement and mission statement were read, and the Pledge of Allegiance was done at the individual members' discretion.

ROLL CALL

Almejo-Ponce and Ewalt were absent.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes were approved without objection.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Senator Colter Anderson moved to add the Student Organization Funding Board Budget Realignment.

Senator Clapper seconded.

The motion passed without objection.

VP Swilling moved to push back first readings of SB #2857, #2858, #2860, #2861 to next week.

Senator Bouma seconded.

The motion passed without objection.

The agenda was approved, as amended, without objection.

OPEN FORUM

Ivan Sapien and another MEChA representative let the senate know that they are here to speak on behalf of the event request.

STUDENT ORGANIZATION FUNDING BOARD REQUEST

MEChA- Fiesta Primavera

Senator Colter Anderson moved to approve the request.

Senator Bouma seconded.

The Funding request was approved unanimously.

OLD BUISNESS

SB #2856- Addition of a Suspension Clause and Revision Clause to the Student Organization Funding Board Finance Policy

The bill was read for the second time.

Student Organization Funding Board recommended a do pass.

Senator Bouma moved to pass.

Senator Willis seconded.

Senator Castronovo moved to pass the amendments made by Student Organization Funding Board.

Senator Clapper seconded.

The amendments were passed unanimously.

The legislation passed unanimously via a roll call vote.

NEW BUSINESS

SB #2859- ASUW Budget for Fiscal Year 2024

The bill was read for the first time.

This bill was steered to all standing committees and Ad-Hoc ASUW Budgetary Reporting Lines and Policies

Student Organization Funding Board Budget Realignment

Senator Colter Anderson moved to pass.

Senator McLean seconded.

The realignment was passed unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS

Executive Reports

President Brown reports that the Newsletter on Thursday will include: ASUW Elections, Issues Survey, UW Risk Assessment, ASUW Events, Town Hall w/ Seidel Next week. President Brown has made the primary topics for the student issues Survey Ad hoc wages, employment questions, Demographics, ASUW Feedback, ASUW Mental Health Resources, Freedom of Expression, and Chat GBT. She thanked the senators for confirming Ramirez confirmation, invite you all to stop by the office tomorrow morning. She asked for individuals to fill out the Ad-Hoc Budgetary Reporting Lines When 2 Meet. President Brown apologizes for not attending senate tonight as she is unwell and does not want to spread unnecessary germs! That being said, she had a few updates she wanted to make sure were still communicated to you all. She will reach out to committee chairs later this week about scheduling a time/review questions for the student issues survey which will be sent out to students on Feb. 20. Next week, she will share an ad-hoc charge letter for a short time committee, working 3-4 weeks to discuss shifting ASUW's budget reporting structure from Student Affairs to Financial Affairs, more to come on this next week with the charge letter. She is looking for ASUW Representatives/New Representatives on the: USP Committee, Library Committee, TSP Committee evaluates college/department requests for additional faculty and determines where to allocate resources. In addition to these relevant communication items, President Brown continues to serve on her university and ASUW committees and work towards completing initial questions for the spring student issues survey. Definitely shorter than her usual communications, President Brown as always welcomes any and all questions via email or stopping by her office, and looks forward to being back in senate with you all next week.

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Judicial Council was not present.

Vice President Swilling had a meeting with Provost Carman and will be distributing 20 new faculty positions. They are discussing how to best disturbed faculty for core classes. The Central Fee committee had over 20 fee requests. There was one item that directly impacted students regarding parking 260-294 for staff 162-210 Commuter 390-354 Gold other permits and parking fees increased. The vote was 4-1 to pass. Art was bought from a student. There will be one away meeting in the House of Representatives in Cheyenne.

Assistant Director Hansen thanked the chair for completing budget deliberations. He wants to encourage everyone to be prepared for next week for the budget process.

Ex-Officio Communications

College Panhellenic Council (CPH) Three of their members are going to California for the AFLV Leadership conference. Chi-Omega and Alpha Phi are having philanthropy this week; Swish for wishes and Healthy Heart Week.

Faculty Senate was not present.

First-Year Senate (FYS) reported that FYS McGuire is stuck back home due to the winter weather. There will be legislation on FYS compensation and where FYS falls in the ASUW Structure.

Interfraternity Council (IFC) Echoed the sentiments of CPH. They are excited for the Leadership Conference in Anaheim Greek Week is coming up!

International Students Association (ISA) They are still holding coffee hour on Friday's. They are excited about the new compromise for International Graduate Student pay.

Non-Traditional Student Council was not present.

Residence Halls Association was not present.

The Sustainability Coalition was not present.

Staff Senate was not present.

Student Athlete Advisory Committee was not present.

United Multicultural Council (UMC) was not present.

Wyoming Honors Organization was not present.

Ad-Hoc Committee Reports

Ad-Hoc Committee on ASUW Budgetary Reporting Lines and Policies was not present.

ASUW Accessibility Ad-Hoc Committee was not present.

ASUW Student Employment and Wages Ad-Hoc Committee was not present.

College Council Reports

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Bouma had only one person signed up for elections tabling, so he is passing out the signup sheet again.

Alpha Phi is having its Hearth Health week! They have a Community CPR training this Thursday. There are multiple sessions, and they are \$10 a person. They also have their Dodge for a Cause event on Saturday and it's \$5 a person

FSL Award nominations are out right now. If you would like to collaborate on nominations for any of your FSL friends, feel free to reach out!

After processing, the meeting adjourned at 8:01 p.m. The next regular meeting of the Senate will be on February 28th, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the Union Senate Chambers Room 221.

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Notes taken by Senator Engelby